

General Election Sample Ballot – November 4, 2014

Snohomish County, Washington

How to vote

Use a single line to mark your vote.
Do not use a felt pen. Please use a pencil or pen.
Voting more than once per race or per question will cancel that vote.

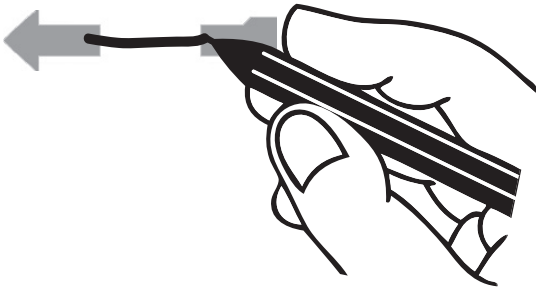
How to change a vote

Draw a line through your choice like this: ~~George Washington~~ or ~~Yes~~.
You have the option of making another choice.

How to vote a write-in

To vote for a person not on the ballot, connect the arrow and write in the name of the person on the line provided.

For a list of the people and organizations that donated to state and local candidates and ballot measure campaigns, visit www.pdc.wa.gov.



Initiatives to the People

Initiative Measure No. 1351

Initiative Measure No. 1351 concerns K-12 education.

This measure would direct the legislature to allocate funds to reduce class sizes and increase staffing support for students in all K-12 grades, with additional class-size reductions and staffing increases in high-poverty schools.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

YES
NO

Initiatives to the Legislature

Initiative Measure No. 591

Initiative Measure No. 591 concerns firearms.

This measure would prohibit government agencies from confiscating guns or other firearms from citizens without due process, or from requiring background checks on firearm recipients unless a uniform national standard is required.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

YES
NO

Initiative Measure No. 594

Initiative Measure No. 594 concerns background checks for firearm sales and transfers.

This measure would apply currently used criminal and public safety background checks by licensed dealers to all firearm sales and transfers, including gun show and online sales, with specific exceptions.

Should this measure be enacted into law?

YES
NO

Advisory Votes

Advisory Vote No. 8 (Senate Bill 6505)

The legislature eliminated, without a vote of the people, agricultural excise tax preferences for various aspects of the marijuana industry, costing an estimated \$24,903,000 in the first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

REPEALED
MAINTAINED

Advisory Votes

Advisory Vote No. 9 (Engrossed Substitute House Bill 1287)

The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, the leasehold excise tax on certain leasehold interests in tribal property, costing an estimated \$1,298,000 in the first ten years, for government spending.

This tax increase should be:

REPEALED
MAINTAINED

READ: Each candidate for partisan office may state a political party that he or she prefers. A candidate's preference does not imply that the candidate is nominated or endorsed by the party, or that the party approves of or associates with that candidate.

Federal Partisan Office

U.S. Representative Congressional District 1 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Suzan DelBene
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Pedro Celis
(Prefers Republican Party)

U.S. Representative Congressional District 2 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Rick Larsen
(Prefers Democratic Party)

B.J. Guillot
(Prefers Republican Party)

U.S. Representative Congressional District 7 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Jim McDermott
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Craig Keller
(Prefers Republican Party)

Legislative Partisan Office

1st District Representative Pos 1 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Derek Stanford
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Mark Davies
(Prefers Republican Party)

1st District Representative Pos 2 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Luis Moscoso
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Edward J. Barton
(Prefers Republican Party)

10th District Representative Pos 1 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Norma Smith
(Prefers Republican Party)

Michael Scott
(Prefers Libertarian Party)

10th District Representative Pos 2 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Dave Hayes
(Prefers Republican Party)

Nick Petrish
(Prefers Democratic Party)

21st District Senator SHORT & 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Marko Liias
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Dan Matthews
(Prefers G.O.P. Party)

21st District Representative Pos 1 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Allen McPheeters
(Prefers Republican Party)

Strom Peterson
(Prefers Democratic Party)

21st District Representative Pos 2 SHORT & 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Lillian Ortiz-Self
(Prefers Democratic Party)

Jeff Scherrer
(Prefers Republican Party)

Legislative Partisan Office
32nd District Senator 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Maralyn Chase (Prefers Democratic Party)
Robert Reedy (Prefers Republican Party)
32nd District Representative Pos 1 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Cindy Ryu (Prefers Democratic Party)
32nd District Representative Pos 2 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Ruth Kagi (Prefers Democratic Party)
Alvin A. Rutledge (Prefers Republican Party)
38th District Senator SHORT & 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
John McCoy (Prefers Democratic Party)
Craig French (Prefers Republican Party)
38th District Representative Pos 1 SHORT & 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
June Robinson (Prefers Democratic Party)
Jesse Anderson (Prefers Republican Party)
38th District Representative Pos 2 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Mike Sells (Prefers Democratic Party)
Elijah Olson (Prefers Libertarian Party)
39th District Representative Pos 1 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Dan Kristiansen (Prefers Republican Party)
39th District Representative Pos 2 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Elizabeth Scott (Prefers Republican Party)
Charles Jensen (Prefers Democratic Party)
44th District Senator 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Steve Hobbs (Prefers Democratic Party)
Jim Kellett (Prefers Republican Party)

Legislative Partisan Office
44th District Representative Pos 1 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Hans Dunshee (Prefers Democratic Party)
Rob Toyer (Prefers Republican Party)
44th District Representative Pos 2 2 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Mark Harmsworth (Prefers Republican Party)
Mike Wilson (Prefers Democratic Party)
County Partisan Office
County Executive 1 YEAR UNEXPIRED TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
John Lovick (Prefers Democratic Party)
Carolyn Eslick (Prefers Republican Party)
Prosecuting Attorney 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Mark K. Roe (Prefers Democratic Party)
County Nonpartisan Office
Sheriff 1 YEAR UNEXPIRED TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Jim Upton
Ty Trenary
State Supreme Court Nonpartisan Office
Justice Position 1 2 YEAR UNEXPIRED TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Mary Yu
Justice Position 3 6 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Mary E. Fairhurst
Justice Position 4 6 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Eddie Yoon
Charles W. Johnson
Justice Position 7 6 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Debra L. Stephens
John (Zamboni) Scannell

Court of Appeals Nonpartisan Office
Judge Division 1 District 2 Position 2 6 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
J. Robert Leach
District Court Nonpartisan Office
Cascade District Judge Position 1 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Kristen Olbrechts
Everett District Judge Position 1 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Anthony E. Howard
Remy Stephanson Leonard
Everett District Judge Position 2 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Tam T. Bui
Evergreen District Judge Position 1 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Steve Clough
Evergreen District Judge Position 2 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Patricia Lyon
Northeast Electoral District Judge Position 1 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Dawn M. Bettinger
Janet Garrow
Northeast Electoral District Judge Position 2 SHORT & 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Sarah Hayne
Ketu Shah
Northeast Electoral District Judge Position 3 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Lisa O’Toole
Marcus Naylor
Northeast Electoral District Judge Position 4 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
Peter L. Nault
Northeast Electoral District Judge Position 5 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)
David A. Steiner

District Court
Nonpartisan Office

Northeast Electoral
Judge Position 6
4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Michael Finkle

Northeast Electoral
Judge Position 7
4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Donna Tucker

South District Judge Position 1
SHORT & 4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Beth A. Fraser

South District Judge Position 2
4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Brett Nagle
Jeffrey D. Goodwin

South District Judge Position 3
4 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Douglas J. Fair

Public Utility District
Nonpartisan Office

Public Utility District No. 1
Commissioner District 1
6 YEAR TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Dave Aldrich
Bruce King

City/Town
Nonpartisan Office

City of Everett
Council Position 7
1 YEAR UNEXPIRED TERM (VOTE FOR ONE)

Richard Anderson
Judy Tuohy

City/Town

City of Bothell
Proposition No. 1

Parks and Public Space Bonds

The Bothell City Council passed Ordinance No. 2149 concerning funding for parks and public spaces. This proposition would authorize the City to acquire and develop new parks, parkways, recreational improvements, public spaces and pedestrian enhancements; issue general obligation bonds in the principal amount not to exceed \$42 million, maturing within a maximum of 25 years; and, levy property taxes annually in addition to regular tax levies to repay these bonds, all as provided in Ordinance No.2149.

Should this proposition be:

APPROVED
REJECTED

City/Town

City of Stanwood
Proposition No. 1

Annexation of the City of Stanwood into the Sno-Isle Library District

Shall the City of Stanwood be annexed to and be part of the Sno-Isle Intercounty Rural Library District?

YES
NO

School District

Arlington School District No. 16
Proposition No. 1

Levy to Purchase New School Buses

The Board of Directors of Arlington School District No. 16 adopted Resolution No. 14-08, concerning a proposition to finance the purchase of new school buses. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes on all taxable property within the District to purchase new school buses:

Collection Year	Approximate Levy Rate/\$1,000	
	Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2015	\$0.49	\$1,500,000
2016	\$0.49	\$1,500,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 14-08.
Should this proposition be approved?

LEVY YES
LEVY NO

Fire District

Fire District No. 15
Proposition No. 1

Emergency Medical Services Property Tax Levy

Will Snohomish County Fire Protection District No. 15 be authorized to replace its existing permanent emergency medical services property tax levy with a PERMANENT regular emergency medical services property tax levy of fifty cents or less per thousand dollars of assessed valuation to maintain and provide emergency medical services within the District?

YES
NO

Fire District No. 17
Proposition No. 1

Emergency Medical Services Property Tax Levy

Will Snohomish County Fire Protection District No. 17 be authorized to impose a PERMANENT regular emergency medical services property tax levy of fifty cents or less per thousand dollars of assessed valuation to maintain and provide emergency medical services within the District?

YES
NO

Fire District

Fire District No. 21
Proposition No. 1

Tax Levy For Fire Protection and Emergency Medical Services

The Board of Snohomish County Fire Protection District No. 21 adopted Resolution No. 2014-5 concerning a proposition to maintain and fund operations, facilities and staffing.

This proposition would authorize the District to establish its regular property tax levy at \$1.50 per \$1,000 of assessed value to be assessed in 2014 and collected in 2015. The funds will finance improved fire protection operations, replace apparatus and equipment, provide staffing and increase emergency medical service levels. The maximum allowable levy in 2014 shall serve as the base for subsequent levy limitations as provided by chapter 84.55 RCW.

Should this proposition be:

APPROVED
REJECTED

Transportation District

Lynnwood Transportation Benefit District
Proposition No. 1

Sales and Use Tax for Transportation Improvements

The Board of the Lynnwood Transportation Benefit District, Lynnwood, Washington, adopted Resolution 5 concerning a sales and use tax to fund transportation improvements. This proposition would authorize a sales and use tax of two-tenths of one percent (0.2%) to be collected within the District in accordance with RCW 82.14.0455 for a term of ten years. Such revenues would be used for the purpose of funding the following transportation improvements: preventative and routine pavement maintenance and reconstruction, street and traffic maintenance and operations, and other capital projects as identified in the City’s Transportation Plan.

Should this proposition be:

APPROVED
REJECTED